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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7472

BILL NUMBER: SB 480

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 22, 2011

BILL AMENDED: Feb 17, 2011

SUBJECT: Various Communications Matters.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Hershman

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. Koch

BILL STATUS: As Passed Senate

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill authorizes the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) to delegate authority to its staff to grant certain requests concerning telephone numbers. It provides that actions taken by the staff are appealable to the IURC. The bill specifies the information that the IURC may require certain communications service providers to include in applications for certificates of territorial authority. The bill provides that the IURC may not require a provider of video services to provide certain information concerning an applicant for a certificate of video franchise authority more frequently than annually. It provides that the IURC may not require a video service provider to disclose identifying information at certain levels of specificity. The bill grants jurisdiction to resolve certain matters concerning video service franchises to the IURC rather than a court with jurisdiction.

Effective Date: July 1, 2011.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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